Handling of Call Money Suddenly Checks an Upward Movement, and Market Which Was Strong Became Heavy.

THE TRACTIONS FALL BACK.

With Steel They Close the Weakest on the List After Having Made Excellent Showing-Sugar Gains and Pennsylvania Unchanged.

While the stock market was at its strongest this afternoon there was a sudden hardening of call money and an advance in sterling, which immediately weakened the list, and trading closed heavy, with prices irregular.

After the first run of trading to-day the market developed a decided tendency toward higher prices. The movement from that time on was upward with now and then slight reactions of the smallest fractions. The higher prices got, though, the slower the market became, which was a pleasing feature to the bulls, as it showed that there was very little stock pressing for sale.

Every one saw in the heavy increase in eports a saving clause in the general situation, and those who have been able to see nothing nothing hopeful thought that really there might be some salva-tion after all in large corn and wheat steel exports.

ogld for import in the face of engagements aggregating \$5,940,000 gave promise of a gain in cash for the banks. The report from the banks is that the movement of money has turned toward this centre, and this means a better statement next Saturday.

The advance in Brooklyn Rapid Transit was based upon the report of the good earnings for November. It looked as if the strength of the stock was due to the operatoins of the bull pool of which Flower & Co, are the accredited leaders. It &is known that certain members of this pool have suffered severely in the recent decline, but there are several of them who are in excellent condition and ready to force prices to

with buying American Ice. It is rumor- bank rate. ed that the company may receive some favors from the new Tammany adminis-

After the noon hour the market became duller, but prices continued up-ward until Steel preferred sold at 517-8, common at 11, Manhattan at 1401-4, Met-ropolitan at 1151-4, Pennsylvania at 1141-4, and other issues up proportion-ally. Consolidated Gas advanced over in Control of Road.

Directors Meet to Discuss Change in Control of Road.

Directors of the Seaboard Air Line held a short conference to-day and ad-journed to meet later. After this last meeting an official announcement will

Atchison was strong and a little bidding for stock developed the fact that there was quite a short interest in it. Union Pacific was strong in the face of bear tips put out by the Weil crowd.

Rock Island prefer.

The total sales of stocks were 424,400 shares and of bonds \$2,275,000.

The Closing Quotations. To-day's highest, lowest and closing prices and net changes from yesterday's closing prices or from last recorded sale are as

COTTON MARKET.

The local cotton market opened weak to-day, with prices 5 to 9 points lower. Considering the Liverpool cables, and the big estimates for arrivals at ports, the opening was better than expected due chiefly to severe weather entering the belt. There was every prospect, according to the map, that much lower temperature would prevail through the belt in the next twenty-four hours, and this fact caused bull interests to offer more resistance to the bearish news than might otherwise have been the case. The demand at the opening decline was fairly well distributed, including commission-house trade, and the market held steady.

The opening prices were: November, 10.88 offered: December, 10.88 to 10.89; January, 10.90 to 10.91; February, 10.88 to 10.95; March, 10.92 to 10.93; April, 10.93 to 10.94; May, 10.94 to 10.95; June, 10.96 bild; July, 10.95 to 10.96; August, 10.96 to 10.96. due chiefly to severe weather entering

W. H. TRUESDALE TO SHIP TRUST CASE OF LACKA WANNA.



SCRANTON. Pa., Nov. 17.—It is reported that W. H. Truesdale wil step down from his position as President of the Lackawanna Railroad at the coming meeting of the directors to be held in New York. From the same source comes the information that he will be succeeded by William P. Haistead, who

is now general manager and third vice-president of the line. President Truesdale came to the Lackawanna from the Rock Island when the control of the road passed out of the hands of the Sloans. He never has been in sympathy with the directors and his regime has been far from

Mr. Truesdale's health is not the best and it is said that he will take a long rest before again undertaking business. The directors of the road refuse to discuss the proposed changes.

Vice-President E. E. Loomis, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Wesstern Railroad, in regard to the despatch from

Railroad, in regard to the despatch from Scranton, said:

"There is no truth whatever in the report, nor is there any truth whatever in the statement that Mr. Truesdale is broken in health. He is in the very best of health and is expected back about the tenth of next month.

"During the summer he suffered from an attack of blood-poisoning, from which he had fully recovered before he sailed. His trip to Europe was at the solicitation of the Board of Managers of the Company, and it is the first vacation he has taken since he has had charge of the property."

LONDON STOCKS MIXED.

Americans Opened Steady, Then

Eased and Closed Firm. LONDON, Nov. 17 .- Supplies of money were rather more abundant in the mar ket to-day and rates were easier. Dis-counts were steady on a better supply ounts were steady on a better supply of bills, a strong American demand for gold and renewed talk of a rise in the Bank of England's rate of discount on the Bank of England's rate of discount on Thursday lext. Business on the Sotok Exchange was quiet and uninteresting and the movements were mixed. Consols hardened a fraction. Home Rails were depressed on rumors of impending lessue of new capital.

American Sugar was about the strongest of the invitable process of the foreigness was the firmness of Argentines on Continental support. Rio close on the Jetter general outlook and less likelihood of an advance in the bank rate.

SEABOARD AIR LINE PLANS

Rock Island preferred was bid up without much trouble, but as the preferred advanced there was quite a little selling of the common, which looked really very good. It is known that the Moores are doing nothing in this issue at this time.

opened steady to firm to-day. Cables were lower, but buils called attention to severe cold weather West and the fact that it followed a spell of rain. The market acted oversold and there was covering of both December and fact that it followed a spell of rain. The market acted oversold and there was covering of both December and May, but mostly of the former. Steadiness marked the opening of corn.

New York's opening prices were: Wheat—December, 55 1-4; May 81 3-8. Corn—May, 47.

Chicago's opening prices were: Wheat—May, 76 3-4; December, 76 1-8 to 76 1-2. Corn—May, 41 1-8; December, 41 1-4 to 41 3-8.

New York's closing prices were: Wheat—May, 82 1-2; July, 79 1-8; December, 86 bid. Corn—May, 47 1-2 bid; December, 86 bid. Corn—May, 47 1-2 bid; December, 87 8-8 bid.

Chicago's closing prices were: Wheat—December, 73 3-4 to 77 7-8; May, 73 3-4 to 77 7-8; July, 74 bid. Corn—November, 41 3-4; December, 41 3-5; December, 41 5-8 to 41 3-4; May, 41 3-4; July, 41 5-8; January, 40 5-8 bid.

Clip the Musical Coupon on third page today



You wouldn't "take chances" ten minutes if neglect might mean loss of oice or hearing. Your eyesight is more precious

Even worse than neglect is the wearing of misfit lenses purchased after a pretense at examination by the spectacle-store "optician." At my offices you have the advice of a graduate physician and skilled

oculist. My booklet, "Eyes and Their Care,"



HEARING UP AGAIN

Will Be Resumed Thursday, but Many Believe Opposing Bondholders Will Discontinue Their

It was learned to-day from excellen authority that the opposing bondholders would discontinue litigation if the Reorganization Committee interests will acorganization committee interests will accede to their demands and put forward
a new plan which would give the present
first mortgage bondholders a prior lien
on the properties, including the Bethlehem Steel Company.
Some doubt that such concessions will

be granted, but those who know of the rotetimess which has not yet been brought out believe that rather than have these further exposures the committee will agree to almost anything. There are rumors that cannot be traced to any authoritative source, that should a compromise be reached and the whole matter dropped the District-Attorney will be asked to take up the case and prosecute the men behind the organization of the company. Half, according to good authorities, has not been told, and is being held back to be used as a club to force a settlement.

CURB STOCKS IRREGULAR.

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Alcohol in Kidney Remedies Destroys Kidney Tissues.

Swelling hands and Jaundice warned JAMES TRISTAN of Kidney Disease.

James T. Tristan, 42 Rensselaer St., Albany, N. Y., wrote Oct. 3, 1903: "Pain in the back, swellings of the hands and ank'es, scalding urine, consti-pated bovels, jaundice and dancing spots before my eyes told me I had kidney trouble. Several medicines did me no good. Kidney-Wort Tablets cured me completely."

The kidneys are the sewers of the weakness, and in female derangementsbody. Obstructed or injured, they cease work and produce disease. But all kid-work and produce disease. But all kid-ney disorders are not equally danger.

Dealings in the outside market were quiet and irregular to-day, with Standard Off bid down 5 points to 670 with-building case will be resumed Thursday. The impression is gaining ground that overtures for a settlement which were made some time ago and which are now being pressed will probably result successfully.

Dealings in the outside market were quiet and irregular to-day, with Standard Off bid down 5 points to 670 with-out any sales. International Marine on sex, constipation, depression of spirits, backaches, sideaches, lumbago, head-lower. The bid and asked prices of the principal outside securities were

Insist unon DD DETTIMOSE.

Kidney-Wort

Tablets Cure Impure Blood, Cure Bloating, Cure Weak Kidneys.

STOCKS are arriving that are bound to make this

™Christmas Store You are invited to view the new



A Notable Time-Limited Special from the Fur Sale—

\$40 Nearseal Coats at

A backward season forced a manufacturer to come to us with a large quantity of nearseal coats, which he offered at less than the cost of the materials and skins used in their making. You may share in the good fortune at the same ratio of saving we gained.

From 10 A. M. till 12.30 P. M.

From 2 P. M. till 5 P. M. These coatws will be sold at the above very remarkable price.

The quantity in this lot, considering the sensationally low price, is not overly large, which accounts for the restriction in the selling hours.

Nearseal so closely resembles genuine Alaska seal that no one but an expert could distinguish the difference between these nearseal coats and those of Alaska seal costing from \$150 to \$200.

They are made of the finest quality selected skins; handsomely cut in the latest fashion, with new style bell sleeves, and lined throughout with Skinner's best quality satin They are guaranteed to fit perfectly. Price to-morrow between the hours named only,



What Was the Price of Ann's Suit?

Ann bought a suit at Bloomingdales'. The price of it had een reduced from \$18.

She got it for just half the price The Otherfellow Company asked when Bloomingdales' were selling such suits regularly at a fourth under Th Otherfellow Company's price.

What Did Ann Pay for Her Suit? We will divide the price of Ann's suit equally among the first ten per-sons sending us the correct solution

Mcn's Eiderdown Bath Robes, \$4.98.

Handsome robes, made of excellent quality brush back eiderdown, with deep round collar, worsted neckcord and girdle to match. Collars, cuffs and entire front bound with satin to match color of robe. Plenty of good colors for choice.

A hint to early holiday buyers: These make ideal gifts for men.

Main Floor, 60th St. Section

\$12 Tailored Suits, \$5.95.



Elegantly tailored suits of cloth or velvet in five handsome styles for choice.

The cloth suits are in plain black or novelty mixtures, and the velvet suits in fancy figured effects.

They are made in the short blouse or new skirted blouse styles, elaborately trimmed with silk pipings, fancy buttons, heavy strappings and tailor stitchings.

All sizes 32 to 44 \$5.95 bust. Special sale

Dress and Walking Skirts In a Half-Price Sale!

This special sale is brought about through a very advantageous purchase made by us from a well-known manufacturer who was in need of ready cash-we saw our chance for some rare bargain-getting and were not slow to grasp the opportunity, with the result that tomorrow we offer

The Most Convincing Bargains in Handsome Well-Made Dress and Walking Skirts.

They are in the newest all-wool materials in vogue, mannish mixtures, smart combinations in checks, figures and stripes, cheviots broadcloths, velvets and canvas cloths. With fancy ruffled, mercerized and taffeta silk drop skirts. All lengths-all sizes.

\$4 and \$6 Skirts \$2.48.

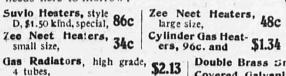
\$7.50 and \$9 Skirts \$3.95.

\$12 to \$15 Skirts \$7.50.

49c.

Houseware Items Marked Low.

Here's a list of everyday essentials in the running of the well-regulated house, marked so low in price as to make every housewife buy what she needs here to-morrow:



Covered Gas Stove Tubing, Universal Oli Heater, large \$2.69 size; smokeless burner, Brooklyn Oil Heater, Perfection Oil Heater, Improved "Never Burn" Double Roasters, with drip rack-

9 x 14 25c | 11 x 16 39c 10 x 15 32c | 12 x 17 49c

Double Brass Bracket, Covered Galvanized Garb-Japanned Tin Decorated Umbrella Stands, Steel Nut Picks, sets of 6 picks 24c

Nut Picks Only, per set of 6, 12c Nut Cracks, 24c. and Universal Food Cutters, 79c., 98c., Universal Bread Makers, \$2.25 \$1.24 We've a large and complete variety of coal stoves at unusually Rice-Very good. 5 30c String Beans-Good. 6c

low prices. ALL CARS TRANSFER TO BLOOMINGDALE BROS.. BLOOMINGDALES' 3d Avenue, 59th and 60th Streets.

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ALL CARS TRANSFER TO BLOOMINGDALES'.

Regular \$6 Robes, \$4.98



Waists, \$2.98. Dainty creations of fine cashmere, with twenty-two graduated tucks and wide pleat down front; eight clusters of tucks in the back, pleated and shirred sleeves, with new style pointed cuffs; finished at neck with smart separate tucked stock collar. Colors white, black, navy

blue, gray, tan, violet, nile, red and pink.

\$8.50 Dinner Sets, \$4.69! And Hundreds of Other Thanksgiving Specials!

Thanksgiving is the time of all times when the housewife can show off her stock of pretty china, and to help her in anything she lacks we offer some splendid values in this

These beautiful dinner sets are of thin Amerimean porcelain; 100 pieces to set; large size meat dishes, all daintily decorated with blue spray flowers and finished with gold edges. Special Thanksgiving sale price, \$4.69

Other Dinner Sets. \$7.98 for \$12 Dinner Sets-English porcelain, with neat under-

\$9.98 for \$14 Dinner Sets— Thin American porcelain; first quality; pretty floral decorations and gold edges; 100 pieces to each set. \$12.98 for \$19 Open Stock Dinner Sets. Maddock's English make; 115 pieces

\$16.98 for \$25 Limoges China Dinner Sets.

In dainty shapes, with pretty floral decorations; handles gold stippled;

100 pieces, including soup tureen. Other Dinner Sets up to \$100. Tea Sets, \$2.49 to \$30. Fish and Game Sets, \$5.98 to \$50.

Cut-Glass Specials.

\$3.98 for \$6 American cut-glass bowls-full 8 inch size, with deeply cut pattern. 98c for \$1.69 American cut-glass

olive dishes. \$2.98 for \$4 American cut glass Water Bottles, \$3.98 for \$6 American cut glass Water

12c, 18c & 19c for cut-glass Salt Cellars. 25c & 49c for cut-glass Salt Shak-

79c & 98c for cut-glass Mustard Dishes. \$3.69 for dozen American cut-glass Water Tumblers—in diamond and fan cut patterns, first quality,

A Tempting Grocery List!

Items which no thrifty woman can afford to miss in the setting of her table, for they tell of quality and economy in the strongest

CORN OR COFFEE. SUCCOTASH. Maracaibo; excellent Sweet and tender; fancy quality; flavor and strength; bean or 14c ground, Ib... special, per 10c

Asharagus—Can. 18c. 25c. 30c

French Peas—Our 20c
Sunny Side Catsub—Pints. Can. 16c. 26c

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STARCH.

Good Laundry

Starch, 3-lb. car-

tons, 14c. 18c

H.O'Neill & Co.

These Specials Being Much Underpriced Will Be Sold From 9 to 12 o'Clock Only.

(No Mail, Telephone or C. O. D. Orders Filled.)

Clothes Wringers.

Anchor Brand Clothes Wringers, 10-inch) rolls, guaranteed for one year, a guarantee tag on each wringer, regular \$2.25..... (9 to 12 o' Clock Only.)

Dinner Sets.

2 decorations to select from, every piece full size and perfect, large turkey platter and round soup tureen, 8-in. plates, reg. \$22.98 (9 to 12 o' Clock Only.)

Fine French China Dinner Sets, 100 pieces,

English Flannelettes,

3,000 yards in new, dainty designs, 36 inches 212/2C wide, regular 15c. values; for (9 to 12 o'Clock Only.)

Fancy Flannelettes.

First Floor.)

(First Floor.)

8,000 yards in all the newest designs and colorings, 27 inches wide, 10c. values; for..... (9 to 12 o'Clock Only.)

Extra Heavy Outing Flannel, 5,000 yards in plain colors, stripes and plaids, regular 10c. values; for..... (9 to 12 o'Clock Only.)

6%C

California Wool Blankets, For Single Beds-(9 to 12 o'Clock Only),

Special at \$2.98 \$3.48 \$4.85 per pair. Regular value \$3.75 \$4.50 \$6.00 per pair.

For Double Beds.

Special at \$3.98 \$4.75 \$5.98 per pair.

Regular value \$4.75 \$7.25 per pair

Cut Glass Vinegar or Oil Cruets. Straw diamond and fan patterns, nicely cut. 59c

Value 98c. each (9 to 12 o' Clock Only.) Imported Silk Taffeta Ribbons. Bright, lustrous finish, 3% inches wide, much

in demand for neck stocks, Alsatian hair bows, 11C belts, &c., all desirable colors and black-regular price 15c. yard.....

Sixth Avenue, 20th to 21st Street.

(9 to 12 o' Clock Only.)

Very exceptional \$2.98 alue at HONEIL& Co.

Two Big Specials in Men's House Coats and Bath Robes At Prices Less Than Cost to Manufacture.

MEN'S HOUSE COATS, made of imported double faced English cloth, 15 different patterns to select from; also all wool Tricot finished with cord edge, colors navy blue, garnet and brown; sizes 34 to 44, special at.... Regular price \$5.45.

MEN'S all wool Eiderdown and BLANKET BATH ROBES; also imported Turkish Toweling Robes; large assortment to select from, all sizes, special at *** Good value at \$4.75.

(Third Floor.)

The"Burt"Shoe for Women Has No Equal at the Price. \$3.50 Edwin C. Burt

New Work

Never sold in New York except by us at for less than \$5.00 per pair-We are the sole selling agents in the city.

IPPERS-We show a splendid line for women, misses and children, suitable for all occasions-Patent Leather, Beaded; also pink, blue and white satin slippers for evening wear.

Demorest Sewing Machines.

We are sole selling agents for New York City. And carry a complete assortment of this far-famed make. Investigate our Club Plan.



\$1.00 Club Membership Fee SENDS A DEMOREST TO YOUR HOME. Models from \$15.00 to \$35.00. We repair all kinds of sewing machines,

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